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## NEGRO TAKEN OUT AND MURDERED BY NIGHT RIDERS AT GOLDEN POND.

Second Killing That Has Occurred by Night Riders Within a Week.

### REIGN OF CRIME STILL UNCHECKED

Following close upon the murder of Hiram Hedge, in Nicholas county, comes the news of another murder by night riders, this time in Trigg county. A band of twenty-five night riders, masked and armed, rode Monday night into Golden Pond, a village between the rivers, and after firing off guns went to the hotel and from the servants' quarters secured Tom Weaver, aged 40, a negro tobacco packer, to accompany them. The band took Weaver a little distance from the village, and after whipping him withdrew a short distance from him and told him to run. The negro failed to obey promptly and the riders began shooting at him. One bullet entered his shoulder and another his hip. He fell in the road, where neighbors found him next morning in a dying condition, and he died Tuesday. No cause for the outrage is known. Weaver worked for an association prize house.

### SOLDIERS AT EDDYVILLE

Whitesburg Company Sends 30 Men There at Request of County Judge.

Eddyville, Ky., March 25.—The troops from Hopkinsville arrived here at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. They were in citizens' clothes and reported to the County Judge. There were thirty in the detachment. They

were from the Whitesburg company. The troops have been ordered here at the request of County Judge W. L. Crumbaugh and other peace officers.

Though the tobacco war is regarded as over and the planters belonging to the association have practically won the victory, the lawless element has been left in control, and night after night armed bodies of men ride over the county, shooting up homes, whipping farmers who have incurred their displeasure, driving out negroes, and leaving their commands to be obeyed under threats of violence. Apparently they have no fear of the authorities, and the situation is one that has aroused the gravest anxiety among those citizens who hope to see the power of the law restored in Lyon county.

Judge Crumbaugh said that as an evidence of the fear that has taken hold of the citizens of Eddyville he was unable to rent either of two buildings here which could be converted into suitable quarters for the militia, and as a result he will be compelled to lodge the soldiers in the county courthouse.

"If I knew I had but two hours to live," said Judge Crumbaugh, "I would devote those two hours to trying to restore law and order to this county. Conditions here are unendurable and something must be done to check the outbreaks of these

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## ROB WOOD CONVICTED

Jury Fixed His Punishment at Fine And Imprisonment.

### GRAND JURY ADJOURNED

Batch of Indictments Returned Against Alleged Night Riders.

The jury in the case of Robert Wood, the young Church Hill farmer, charged with sending a threatening letter to Lewis Dawson, col., was argued Monday afternoon and given to the jury Tuesday morning and at 11:30 yesterday morning the jury brought in a verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment at a fine of \$100 and imprisonment for three months in the county jail.

### Grand Jury's Work.

The grand jury adjourned Tuesday afternoon after returning a total of 76 indictments in 26 days. One of the important indictments was unsigned and Judge Cook ordered the jury to re-assemble to-day to correct the defect. The jury returned in all seven indictments for alleged "night rider" offenses, as follows:

Rob Wood, sending threatening letter.

Mat Gholson, col., confederating to destroy property.

Herman R. Crenshaw, same offense. Dr. Wallace Durham, confederating to injure another.

One other indictment for complicity in the Hopkinsville raid and two for sending threatening letters have not been made public, as the parties have not yet been arrested.

Herman Crenshaw is a prominent and highly connected young farmer of Roaring Spring.

Mat Gholson is a half-breed Indian who lives just north of town. These two were indicted for complicity in the raid of Dec. 7th. Dr. Durham is a young physician of North Christian, who is charged with being in the party that whipped Press Rogers. Evidence against him was given by half a dozen or more witnesses.

Gholston is in jail. Crenshaw has been under bond since January and Durham appeared yesterday and executed bond. Geo. B. Powell, the one man indicted in January, is under bond and his case has been continued until June.

The injunction suit of Sheriff David Smith vs. Jno. M. Renshaw and Judge C. O. Frowse was called Tuesday morning and an amended petition filed by the attorneys for Mr. Smith, which was objected to by the defendants and the objection sustained. The plaintiff was granted time to prepare an answer, setting up the facts eliminated from the petition, and the case will be heard one day this week. No definite time was set by the court.

The suit of Marion Russell's administrator against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. was begun Tuesday. Russell was a negro who was killed while sitting on the railroad near the crossing of the Bradshaw road. The suit is for \$10,000 damages. The negro was probably asleep and it is charged that the accident was due to the failure of the train men to blow the whistle and arouse him.

### MRS. OLDHAM

Dies at Home of Daughter, Near Garrettsburg.

Mrs. Knox Oldham died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Louis Mescham, near Garrettsburg. She was 51 years old and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mescham and Mrs. Nellie Carter, and one son.

## NEW RAILROAD SEEMS ASSURED

Cairo & Norfolk Line Will Pass Through Hopkinsville.

### MR. NEAL'S PET PROJECT

Road Will Extend From Ft. Jefferson, Ky., To Bristol, Va.

It now seems probable that we are to have another railroad, sure enough.

Articles of incorporation of the Cairo & Norfolk Railroad Company, with a capital stock of \$500,000, have been filed at Frankfort. The original articles were filed first at Mayfield. Graves county. The incorporators are L. W. Goode and E. E. Weston, of New York, and M. W. Kelly, of Madison, Wis., D. A. Usher, R. E. Lockridge, B. A. Neal, H. C. Neal, E. S. Beaumont, Arthur E. Thomas, F. R. Allen and C. B. Goode, all of whom live at Mayfield, Ballard and other Western Kentucky cities.

The railroad when completed will extend from Ft. Jefferson, in Ballard county, which is on the Mississippi river, to Bristol, Va., which is near the junction of the Virginia North Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky and Tennessee lines. It will be 500 miles in length and will be a trunk line extending through the following counties in Kentucky: Wickliffe, Ballard, Lyon, Trigg, Christian, Todd, Logan, Warren, Simpson, Barren, Allen, Metcalf, Monroe, Cumberland, Adair, Russell, Clinton, Wayne, Pulaski, Whitley, Laurel, Knox, Bell, Leslie, Harlan, Letcher and Pike.

The highest indebtedness that can be incurred in the construction of this road is \$12,500,000, but when the road is completed it will be worth many millions more. The road will pass through several counties in the State that are not now touched by railroads and will therefore develop and open up an entire new territory.

### First to Be Given.

The Rummage Sale to be given by the D. A. R. is the first of the kind to be given in this city. In other places it has been given with great success. The articles asked for are such as any housekeeper will be glad to dispose of at this time of the year.

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New Fancy Silks,  
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#### Important Ruling by the Postoffice Department.

##### Renewals of Subscriptions.

(3) A reasonable time will be allowed publishers to secure renewals of subscription, but unless subscribers are expressly renewed after the term for which they are paid within the following periods:

Dailies, within three months;  
Try Weeklies, within six months;  
Semi-weeklies, within nine months;  
Weeklies, within one year;  
Semi-monthlies, within three months;  
Monthlies, within four months;  
Bi-monthlies, within six months;  
Quarterlies, within six months;

they shall not be counted in the legitimate list of subscribers, and copies mailed on account thereof shall not be accepted for mailing, at the second-class postage rate of one cent a pound, but may be mailed at the transient second-class postage rate of one cent for each four ounces or fraction thereof, prepaid by stamps, affixed. The right of a publisher to extend credit for subscriptions to his publication is not denied or questioned, but his compliance or non-compliance with this regulation will be taken into consideration in determining whether the publication is entitled to transmission at the second-class postage rate.

In accordance with the above ruling all mail subscribers to the **Kentuckian** who are in arrears six months must be dropped from our mailing list on April 1. The Department will compel us to do this. Subscribers may pay any fraction of a year, if they prefer, so that they keep within the limit.

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We have a very large and complete line of poultry cuts and are prepared to do any and all kinds of printing for poultry raisers at low prices.

#### For Sale at a Bargain.

Scholarship in one of the best Business Universities of the South. Good for any department. Address this office.

## BOOKS ORDERED RE-OPENED IN EVERY COUNTY OF BLACK PATCH

The following communication has been issued by General Manager Ewing:

To the Directors:  
Guthrie, Ky., March 20, 1908.  
I am in receipt of letters from nearly all the Directors in regard to the matter of reopening the membership books, and while some of them are very much opposed, saying "their representations to their people to the effect that they would positively not be re-opened," would embarrass them greatly, a very large majority of the Directors favor it. In view of very alarming ill feeling existing throughout the dark tobacco district against people who have not heretofore joined, and in view of its being the plain duty of every one of us to do everything possible to preserve the peace and quiet of the country to the greatest extent of our ability, I think we should use this re-opening of the books in the most pleasant and attractive way possible and without the slightest reference to unpleasant occurrences of the past. We should remember that some of the most consistent members of the church today are men who did not join during a revival and while their friends were so intensely interested, but instead

long afterward. We should put the colors of full fellowship upon this, another chance to join the Association and encourage the idea in every way possible, that it should allay bitterness of thought and intemperance speech. Let us make a masterly effort to make the facts of the Association's success so well known that there will be no "hill-billies."

Do not chafe a man who came in late; shake his hand cordially, and let him read sincerely in your every word and action. I do not know who the night riders are, but I am firmly of opinion that if this spirit is kindled and most carefully built upon, there will be no night riders.

The books in every county are hereby opened from this date and until further notice. I beg that not only every Director and Officer make a tremendous effort to enlist in our cause all those on the outside, but that every member and every sympathizer in the great work, earnestly endeavor to bring them into our fold, where we can be as a band of brothers seeking one purpose, the benefit of the whole community, and without malice towards anyone.

Yours truly,

F. G. EWING,  
General Manager.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures it in few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

#### An Interesting Letter.

While the amount of money that is being received to help the cause of Education in Kentucky is very encouraging, the interest shown by all is even more so. The following letter shows the spirit that will win for our State the place it deserves among the first, and not so near the last.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 9, 1908.  
Mrs. Frank Yost, City—  
Dear Madam—I have just received your communication on the subject of education. In answer to all of the questions—do you know—I can say that I do know to my sorrow and regret. While I have no children of my own, I have raised four and educated them as best I could. I do know that I contributed to the building of our district school house. I do know that I contributed to getting a stove for same. I do know that I carried trees and helped with my own hands to set them out in the school yard. While I deplore that I have not been able to do more I have put away my little mite and send you \$25.00. I am only sorry it is not \$25.00. Very respectfully,  
Mrs. Yost

#### GO RIGHT AT IT.

Friends and Neighbors in  
Hopkinsville Will Show  
You How.

Get at the root of the trouble.  
Rubbing an aching back may relieve it.

But it won't cure it.  
You must reach the root of it—the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills go right at it; Reach the cause; relieve the pain. Mrs. Eva Hobbs, living on North Seminary street, Madisonville, Ky., says: "I have no hesitancy in endorsing the claims made for Doan's Kidney Pills, as they are, without doubt, the best kidney medicine in the world. When they permanently cured me of my trouble in the summer of 1903, I allowed my experience to be published in our local papers so that others who suffer as I did might know what course to pursue to get relief. I was a sufferer for years with terrible pains through my kidneys and down through my loins. There were such bearing down pains at times that I actually had to give up and lie down until the pain subsided. The secretions from the kidneys were irregular in action and painful, in passing. I tried remedy after remedy, rubbed my back with liniment, and wore plasters but received little or no relief. Doan's Kidney Pills made a complete and permanent cure four years ago, and it only required two boxes to do it. I have been perfectly free from any kidney complaint ever since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

#### MARCH ON EDDYVILLE.

Band of 100 Night Riders  
Frighten Citizens by  
Firing in Air.

Eddyville, Ky., March 23.—Lyon county citizens are aroused in a great height of indignation by the frequent raids thrust upon them. This city's suburb was the recipient of another minor visitation by night riders, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock Saturday night.

About 100 strong all mounted, securely masked and heavily armed, in case of emergency, they marched just within the city limits and came to halt at the order of the commanding officer. Four of them, supposed to be leaders, rode a short distance away from their warriors, talked in subdued tones, as if holding consultation, for a time, and then returned to the main body, speaking in commanding voices. At the juncture a gun was fired and each steed plunged forward like mad, while its rider incessantly pumped fire and lead into the atmosphere.

No damage was done, but the suburb and residents, as well as others who live in town, were frightened beyond contemplation.

#### MAY CATCH MURDERERS

Rumor That Members of  
Band Are Known—Hundred  
Arrested at Funeral.

Carlisle, Ky., March 23.—The funeral of Hiram Hedges, who was murdered Friday night by night riders, was held Sunday at his late home. About seven hundred persons, many from this city, attended the funeral. There was much feeling and sympathy manifested for the grief-stricken wife and children.

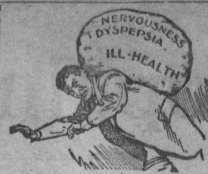
The people in that part of the county are loud in their condemnations of the crime. It is rumored that two or three of the band are known. Nothing as yet has been done toward apprehending the murderers as the officers hardly know what to do. They have no positive clew to work from. County Judge McNew says that everything will be done to ascertain who committed the crime.

#### No Crop In 1908.

"We'll sow no seed but shame;  
We'll reap no crop but hate!  
Black ruins of homes shall be the fruit  
Of 1908."

"We'll plant your fields with fire;  
We'll leave you desolate;  
Deserted homes shall be the crop.  
Of 1908."—Louisville Post.

At the foot of Lafayette avenue Kansas City, Kan., lives a negro woman who says she is 125—and that she can prove it. Nancy Gordon is her name, says the Kansas City Star. She was born near Alexandria, Va., about 1782. She was the slave Mathias Boone, a wealthy cotton planter of that vicinity, who was an officer in the Continental army.



## A Heavy Load to Carry

"ALL IS WELL THAT ENDS WELL."

Along with dyspepsia comes nervousness and general ill-health. Why? Because a disordered stomach does not permit the food to be properly digested, and its products assimilated by the system. On the other hand the blood is charged with poisons which come from this disordered digestion, and in turn the nerves are not fed on good, red blood, and we see symptoms of nervousness, sleeplessness and general breakdown. It is not hard work that does it, but poor stomach work. With poor, thin blood the body is not protected against the attack of germs of grip, bronchitis and consumption. Fortify the body at once with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—a rare combination of native medicinal roots without a particle of alcohol or dangerous drugs.

No man is stronger than his stomach. Let the greatest athlete have dyspepsia and his muscles would soon fail. Physical strength is derived from food. A man has insufficient food he loses strength. If he has no food he dies. Food is converted into nutrition through the stomach and bowels. It depends on the strength of the stomach to what extent food eaten is digested and assimilated. People can die of starvation who have abundant food to eat, when the stomach and its associate organs of digestion and nutrition do not perform their duty. Thus the stomach is really the vital organ of the body. If the stomach is "weak" the body will be weak also, because it is upon the stomach that

body relies for its strength. And as the weakness of the body is a consequence of "weak" stomach will be distributed among the organs which compose the body. If the body is weak because it is impoverished that physical weakness will be found in back and knees, in hands and feet equally. So also will the weakness be equally distributed among the organs: heart, liver, kidneys, etc., being proportionately weak according to the amount of the reduction of their daily ration of nutrition.

By way of example take the case of the Assistant Treasurer of the Catholic Bishops at Quebec, Mr. Louis Para.

"For years after my health began to fail, my head grew dizzy, eyes pained me, and my stomach was sore all the time, while everything I would eat would seem to lie heavy in my head, so my stomach the doctor claimed that it was sympathetic trouble due to dyspepsia, and prescribed for me, and although I took their powders regularly I felt no better. My wife advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—and she bought me a bottle and we soon found that I began to improve, so I kept up the treatment. I took on flesh, my stomach became normal, the digestive organs worked perfectly and I soon began to look like a different person. I can never give too much credit for what your medicine has done for me and I certainly give it a highest rating."

#### THE SECRET OUT.

To refute the many false and malicious attacks, bogus formulas and other untruthful statements published by competing and disgruntled medicine men concerning Dr. Pierce's World-Famous Family Medicine the Doctor has decided to publish all the ingredients entering into his "Golden Medical Discovery." Hereafter every bottle of this medicine having the great seal of Dr. J. C. Rife, N. Y., will bear upon it a full list of all the ingredients entering into the compound, printed in plain English. These ORIGINAL Little Live Pills, first put up by old Dr. R. V. Pierce over 40 years ago, have been most carefully selected, stable, concentrated and refined medicinal ingredients, extracted from native American roots and plants. They specially relieve and cure such troubles as Dyspepsia, Stomach, Liver and Bowels and their attendant distressing ailments, or two or three, three or four a cathartic.

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## ANOTHER ATROCITY

Raiders Are Overrunning the Counties In Pursuit of Chase.

IN CALLOWAY COUNTY

Home of Independent Farmer Destroyed and Family Barely Escapes.

Paducah, Ky., March 23.—While the family of Richard Spann, a farmer, of Calloway county, near Beech Grove, and the Graves county line, were sleeping about 2 o'clock Sunday morning, incendiaries set fire to the residence, the stable and empty tobacco barn, and not until the roar of the flames and the burning brands from the roof began dropping in did any of them awaken to their danger.

It was with the utmost difficulty that Mr. Spann succeeded in getting his wife and children out and a few minutes later the structure, which had been set afire at the corner, fell in and all their clothing and household goods were lost; all valued with the house at about \$2,000.

As the family rushed out they were met by the glare from the burning stable and the scream of the maddened horses imprisoned within. On another side of the lot the empty tobacco barn was a glow of embers.

Mr. Spann has not raised any tobacco for several years, but announced his intention of raising a crop this year. He did not join the association.

There were no shots fired by the incendiaries and their work was carried on quietly so as to not arouse any of the sleeping inmates. It is believed they intended to burn the inmates to death.

Woman loves a clear, rose complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.

## FORTS IN HOPKINS.

Warlike Preparations to Resist Threatened Invasion.

Madisonville, Ky., March 23.—At one of the largest mines in the county a force of men were at work Sunday building a fence along the public road, which is a few hundred feet from the mine property. This fence is about five and one-half feet high, and is being built out of timber, six to eight inches, and a small opening is left near the top. Small v-shape stands, out of the same material, have been erected on different spots around the property, with the same opening near the top, which it is believed are to be used by guards in case of an attack.

Similar preparations are being made at several other points in the county, and it is understood here today that forts have been built along a number of the mines, and men are at work to-day.

Doan's regulates cure constipation, tone the stomach, stimulate the liver, promote digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

## LAW AND ORDER

League Organized at Clarksville With Over 300 Members.

Nashville, Tenn., March 23.—A law and order league has been organized at Clarksville and Montgomery county, Tenn. A permanent organization was perfected to suppress lawlessness in that part of the dark tobacco district. The league already has over 300 members.

Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves the itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

At Collingswood and Greemore, Ont. are apple evaporating establishments the waste products of which are sent to France to make "champagne."

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MARCH 26, 1908.

## The Weather.

Partly cloudy and warmer Thurs-  
day.

## THE GRAND JURY.

The grand jury empaneled the  
last week in February adjourned  
Tuesday, but will reassemble and  
hold a brief session today, to correct  
a defect in one of the indictments  
returned. Several changes were  
made in the body from time to time,  
but every man on the jury from first  
to last was true to his oath and  
ready at all times to do his full duty.  
In order that the people of Kentucky  
know that there are brave and true  
citizens in one county at least in  
Kentucky, we give the names of the  
members of the grand jury, those  
marked with an asterisk having been  
excused before the final adjournment:  
\*W. A. Fritz, foreman.  
\*John C. Gary \*J. W. Quisenberry  
\*T. McKnight \*Frank Boyd  
\*James O'Daniel John Boyd  
W. S. Davison Fount Meacham  
E. M. Moss G. B. Underwood  
Otho Nancey Elmer Morgan  
J. H. Winfree J. C. Adeock  
W. F. Combs S. T. Hill

The work of this grand jury  
marked a new era in the stamping  
out of lawlessness in the state.  
Circuit Judge Thos. P. Cook instructed  
the jury to enter upon a fearless,  
faithful and vigorous investigation  
of the depredations of night riders.  
The Commonwealth's Attorney,  
Hon. Denny P. Smith, and the  
County Attorney, Hon. John C.  
Duffy, both manifested a willingness  
to lend ready assistance, and a com-  
mittee from the Law and Order  
League gave its active co-operation  
in the difficult task of finding wit-  
nesses. Sheriff David Smith and his  
deputies, L. C. Cravens and Jewel  
W. Smith, shrank no duty imposed  
upon them, and the Kentuckian  
takes pleasure in stating that a real,  
persistent and effective attempt was  
made to discover some of the guilty  
parties who have committed depredations  
in Christian county. More  
than 100 witnesses were examined.  
Some for obvious reasons concealed  
their knowledge, some were afraid  
to tell what they knew, a few gave  
testimony that led to indictments.  
44 participating in raids and three  
for writing threatening letters were  
returned. This is a good start.  
Twice as many would have been re-  
turned, but for the timidity  
of some of the witnesses who failed  
at the right time to do their duty.  
Many clues were discovered and partly  
followed up and these should  
bring more results when another  
grand jury meets, if the next one  
proves to be a worthy successor to  
the one just discharged. Christian  
county points to the eight indict-  
ments already returned—one in Jan-  
uary and seven in March—and sends  
greetings to the rest of Kentucky.  
We are still capable of self govern-  
ment. Officers are not afraid to do  
their duty. Juries are willing to in-  
dict when the evidence warrants it.  
But there yet remains much to be  
done. The courts must find a way  
to keep bad men off the petit jury.  
Lawyers who make a busi-  
ness of defending nightriders should  
be shown up in their true colors and  
kept out of office at all hazards.  
Cowards, weaklings and sympathizers  
with lawbreakers should be re-  
legated to the rear. The masses are  
honest and upright. A majority of  
the people are on the side of law.  
There are good and true men in every  
community. Reason is bound to  
assert itself. Good citizens every-  
where are tired of the reign of dis-  
order and are ashamed of our over-  
sized citizenship. There must be a

change, there will be a change, if the  
people demand it. Christian county  
has started the ball to rolling. A  
grand jury made up largely of asso-  
ciation men has said that guilty men  
must be brought to punishment.  
What will the petit juries do when  
the honor of Kentucky is at stake?  
We shall see. If the jury wheel has  
in it men who will not rise to the  
demands of the people, then the  
wheel itself, the source of all juries,  
must be purified. The jury commis-  
sioners to be appointed this year  
should be selected with the greatest  
care. Into the hands of three men  
in 119 counties of the State, must be  
entrusted the good name and the  
future prosperity of Kentucky. Let  
none but brave and true men be  
placed on guard in these positions,  
men who will keep an eye on the  
wheel, and all will yet be well.

Congressman Chas. E. Littlefield,  
of Maine, has resigned to devote his  
time to law practice.

Gov. M. R. Patterson and Col.  
Felix G. Ewing held a conference in  
Clarksville Monday.

Former Gov. John W. Stewart, of  
Vermont, was appointed United  
States Senator to succeed the late  
Redfield Proctor.

Sheriff Webb of Yellowstone county,  
Montana, was shot and killed by  
a horsechief whom he was attempting  
to arrest.

Louisiana State primary election  
laws were declared unconstitutional,  
null and void by Judge King in the  
Civil District court at New Orleans.

Night rider notices have appeared  
in Lincoln county, West Virginia,  
where farmers have been notified  
under penalty of the destruction of  
their property not to raise tobacco  
crops.

Gov. Willson has approved the  
Bi-partisan Board of Control bill and  
appointed Stanley Millward as the  
fourth member of the Board, heretofore  
made up of Percy Haly, Dr.  
Milton Board and Albert S. Scott.

The Park City News is booming  
Hon. T. W. Thomas, of Bowling  
Green, as the strongest man in the  
Democratic party of the Third dis-  
trict and says if nominated for Con-  
gress he can redeem the district.

A trial in Chicago involving the  
title to \$20,000,000 of property, which  
began Sept. 8, is nearing a close.  
There have been more than 100 wit-  
nesses and 84 lawyers have ap-  
peared in the case.

It is reported at Lexington that  
residents of that city who own farms  
near there are burning tobacco plant  
beds in their back yards, hoping to  
be able to set out the plants on their  
farms later.

The Hearst papers have sprung the  
name of Thomas L. Higen, Hearst  
candidate for Governor of Massachu-  
setts, as the Independence League  
candidate for President. There is a  
string tied to the suggestion, as it is  
said Mr. Hearst may decide later on  
to become the candidate himself.  
Mr. Higen is a cousin of Chas. H.  
Higen, of this city.

To-morrow is the last day upon  
which candidates for congress can  
announce in the Second district, sub-  
ject to the action of the Democratic  
primary of May 9. In the event of  
there being no opposition to Hon. A.  
O. Stanley, as now seems probable,  
the primary will be called off and  
the nomination made by the district  
committee.

The Supreme Court has handed  
down a decision in a North Carolina  
case that is a virtual knock-out for  
the new railroad rate laws of that  
State and Minnesota. The enormous  
fines and penalties are held to be ex-  
cessive, depriving the railroads of a  
resort to the courts and the equal  
protection of the laws.

Gov. Patterson has authorized Col.  
Gracey Childers to summon a posse  
of fifty men to preserve order in  
Clarksville. The posse may or may  
not be the local militia, though they  
are to act as peace officers and not  
as soldiers. The Sheriff also may  
summons a posse. This of course  
means that the Governor does not  
intend to afford any outside assistance  
to the people of Clarksville—at  
least until after the June primary is  
held.

For Sale or Rent.

Cottage at Herndon. J. F. Ellis.

## Mending a Disposition

(Original)

"There is every reason to believe the  
experiment has been successful," said  
the surgeon. "The patient is sleeping  
soundly."

"What is the object of the present  
operation?"

"The father of Charles Renwick, on  
whom I have operated, desires that his  
son shall unite two estates by marry-  
ing his second cousin, Miss Annette  
Barklow. Charles inherits from a  
great-uncle a morose, dictatorial, over-  
bearing disposition, very repulsive to  
the young lady. At the father's re-  
quest I have let the blood of an an-  
gry, rollicking, generous young fellow  
into Charles' veins, supplying the defi-  
ciency from the blood of a healthy  
sheep. Miss Barklow knows nothing  
of the affair. When Charles gets out  
he is to make a new wooing."

Charles Renwick after the operation  
was very much changed. He was an  
object of great interest to the doctor  
who had given him new blood and  
with the new blood a new disposition.  
The following account is taken from  
the surgeon's memoranda:

Jan. 5.—Permitted the patient to go  
out to ride within three days after the  
operation. Saw evidence of a change in  
disposition from the time the blood was  
gone. Patient's previous inclination to  
cruelty to animals replaced by an ap-  
parent fondness for them. Irrascibility  
vanished. Patient is constantly sing-  
ing, cracking jokes, making merry.

Jan. 30.—Renwick senior tells me that  
Miss Barklow's repulsion to Charles  
seems to be diminishing. The couple  
have been out to ride together, and  
the young lady shows no disposition to  
repel his attentions. Mr. Renwick, Sr.,  
very hopeful. Says he has noticed sev-  
eral traits that did not belong to his  
son before the transfusion—viz. a ten-  
dency to play practical jokes. Has come  
upon him suddenly, when dancing  
alone. Neither of these traits was  
ever observed in him before.

Feb. 15.—Have been studying heredi-  
tary cases and am struck with some  
remarkable ones, showing how traits  
will lie dormant for several genera-  
tions, then crop out in a single in-  
dividual. This leads me to prepare my-  
self for any peculiarities that may de-  
velop in the case of Charles Renwick.  
Called on Wagstaff, from whose son I  
took the blood. Has sent me a  
sketch of every member of the fam-  
ily for five generations back. Shall keep  
them for reference as occasion sug-  
gests.

April 24.—Mr. Renwick, Sr., has just  
been in to see in sore distress. Charles  
has been acting strangely. The boy  
has apparently been captivated by a  
ballerina dancer. Has corresponded with  
her. Preparations for flight. Fortu-  
nately all has been discovered in time  
and Charles sent southward. Refer-  
ring to family sketches, find Peter Ren-  
mond, Wagstaff's uncle, married an  
actress. Singular that this should  
have come again to the surface in  
Charles by transfused blood.

Sept. 30.—More trouble in the case  
of Charles Renwick. His father tells  
me that just as he was about to be  
married to Miss Barklow he so dis-  
gusted her that she has broken with  
him. It seems that the two were in  
the country and attended a county fair  
in the same party. Charles separated  
for a time from the doctor, and when  
they saw him again he was in the cen-  
ter of a crowd dancing a jig and swing-  
ing his cane over his head. Some one  
gazed him, whereupon Charles turned  
for the fellow, rattling his cane on the  
man's head and shoulders. Two of his  
adversary's friends went in to help  
him crush Charles, but Charles jumped  
five feet in the air, landed a down-  
blow on one of them and cracked the  
skull of the other with his cane, which  
unfortunately was a big one made of  
bickory. He is now in jail.

Sept. 21.—Ran over the list of Wag-  
staff's ancestors. Under the O's find  
Dennis O'Rourke, 1896 to 1899. Fa-  
mous for the swing of his club. On  
one occasion at Donnybrook fair  
thrashed a dozen men in succession.  
Fled his head broken by a balliff and  
died at the age of twenty. This  
looks bad. I fear my experiment of  
transfusion in order to improve dis-  
position is not successful in accom-  
plishing the object desired.

Oct. 2.—Have been thinking a good  
deal about how to improve on Charles  
Renwick. May I not, instead of giving  
him another disposition by a new  
transfusion, mingle some more ques-  
tionable blood with his? As soon as he is  
discharged from arrest will try.

Nov. 12.—This morning transfused  
40 per cent of the blood of an utterly  
disposed theological student into the  
veins of Charles Renwick. Am curious  
to know if this will mingle dispositions,  
mollifying that of Charles Renwick.  
Dec. 30.—Have made a remarkable  
discovery. An inherited trait that does  
not appear in an individual may be  
brought out by mingling the blood of  
that individual with the blood of an-  
other. After letting some of the theo-  
logical student's blood into Charles  
Renwick I expected greater quiescence.  
In this I have been disappointed. The  
Young Thurst, the student, has de-  
scended from one who took a promi-  
nent part in the French revolution.  
This revolutionary blood in Renwick  
has developed a craze for demolition.  
Charles is bent on organizing armed  
rebellion against the trusts. I wish I  
had let this transfusion matter alone.

June 1.—Bleed! Transfused some  
blood of a fawn into Charles Ren-  
wick. A fawn has not developed any  
less discreditable, such as we find in  
the higher state of man. Have ob-  
tained a splendid disposition. Invita-  
tion to wedding of Charles Renwick  
and Annette Barklow received.

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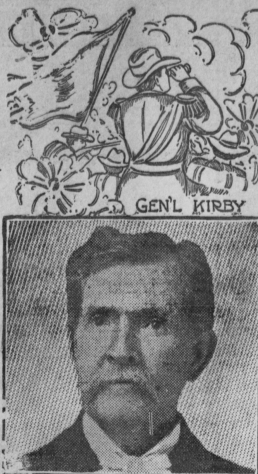
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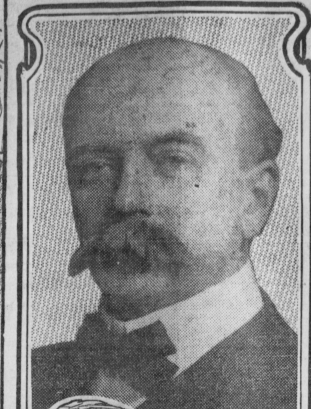
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"We always tell our sick and ailing friends of the remedies that we have learned, from experience, were good for us when ailing in the same way, and we do it as a duty we feel that we owe them."

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"I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Pe-ru-na is a medicine which will effect all that is claimed for its use."

Those desirous of obtaining special directions with regard to the use of Pe-ru-na should write to Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of the Hartman Sanatorium, Columbus, Ohio.

When Other Remedies Failed Pe-ru-na Proved Efficacious.

Hon. Geo. W. Honey, National Chaplain U. S. Army, writes from the Wisconsin Cavalry, Ex-Treas. State of Wisconsin and Ex-Q. Master General State of Texas, G. A. R., writes from 1700 First street, N. E., Washington, D. C., as follows:

"I cannot too highly recommend your preparation for the relief of catarrh troubles in their various forms."

"Some members of my own family have used it with most gratifying results."

"When other remedies failed, Pe-ru-na proved most efficacious and I cheerfully certify to its curative excellence."

Pe-ru-na, a Standard Treatment For Catarrhal Diseases.

Mr. John C. Nelson, Dayton, Tenn., geologist and mining engineer, while a Captain in the Federal Army during the Civil War, contracted a case of rheumatism. This malady was constant and persistent, inducing the development of other ailments, which, also became chronic. After taking a course of Pe-ru-na, Capt. Nelson writes:

"Having been painfully afflicted with chronic rheumatism and the adjunctive complications for many years, and after having received many general and special treatments with only temporary relief, I read your scientific treatise on catarrhal diseases."

"At my request you prescribed a special course of the Pe-ru-na remedies, which I closely followed, and am happy to report that my rheumatism and complicated ailments are subdued, and I feel young again at the age of 60 years."

"Reason will accept your classification of catarrhal diseases as scientific and true, and the Pe-ru-na remedies as a standard treatment for them. I thank you heartily for your skilled and logical advice."

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James J. Osborn, 628 Wahatch Ave., Colorado Springs, Colo., has filled all the positions in Knight Templar Masonic Order, was a Mason since 1886, Judge of County Court, Clinton, Mo., and also County Collector of Clinton. He writes:

"A sluggish liver which I had been troubled with for two years made life miserable and I was unable to attend to my business half the time. I lacked energy, had headache most of the time, and my food distressed me and did not seem to do me a particle of good."

"Reading of the many cures performed by Pe-ru-na, I decided to try a bottle. Before I had taken many doses I felt better."

"I took it as directed for two months when I was a well man."

## NIGHT RIDERS.

(Continued from First Page.)

lawless men who are making the nights periods of anxiety and suspense to every good citizen of the county."

The report that three night riders were killed in the recent raid on Birmingham, Marshall county, was promptly denied by postmaster Locker, of that place. He said he was positive that none were killed.

Nearly all of the independent growers in Woodford county have decided to make no attempt to grow a crop this year, some of them even going so far as to have their plant beds destroyed by their own tenants.

## CROSS THE OHIO.

Night Riders From Kentucky Tear Up Tobacco Beds in Ohio.

Cincinnati, O., March 25.—Under

cover of darkness a band of night riders crossed the Ohio river and operated in the vicinity of Ripley, despoiling the tobacco beds of August Moonshon, three miles east of Ripley, in what is known as Springtown, O. Threats were also left posted on his barn, telling Moonshon to desist planting on the penalty of his life.

A mysterious fire last Thursday night destroyed the blacksmith shop of Walter Hook, on the Russellville pike near Ripley, a short distance from the farm of Moonshon. In the barn was stored 1,000 pounds of tobacco, the property of Elliott Purton, a neighbor of Hook. This was destroyed with the building. Neither Hook nor Purton were members of the Society of Equity, and both had been warned not to sell their tobacco. Purton, it is said, despite these warnings, sold some of his tobacco in the Cincinnati markets and refused to stop. Moonshon, whose tobacco beds were torn up, is not a member of the Equity Society. He had received threatening letters signed "Night Riders." The riders

after leaving Ripley crossed the river, it is reported. Ripley is in Brown county, nearly opposite Maysville.

The night riders played their first game in Breckenridge county Tuesday at Mitchell, on the Henderson route branch in that county. They put up a notice on the L. H. and St. L. work train there that no negroes must be allowed to work there. The railroad company sent armed men to Mitchell Tuesday night to protect their colored employees, but by 6 o'clock every negro had left. The crew was working on the new Midway road.

One of the most prominent Society of Equity men in the Lawrenceburg section has received a notice to the effect that if any beds are scrapped or damaged done that he will be held personally responsible and hanged to the highest telephone pole in Anderson county. A number of tobacco raisers have dug up their own beds.

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## Body Shipped to Louisville.

James Reynolds, colored, who had been a patient at the Western asylum for about a year, died at the institution Monday night, aged 41 years. The body was shipped to Louisville.

## Married in Clarksville.

Ed Grace and Miss Ethel Thompson, young people living near Clinton, were married in Clarksville Monday.

## Rummage Sale.

The local chapter, D. A. R., will give a rummage sale Friday, March 27, at the city court room. Each member of the chapter is expected to send in contributions. Outside contributions are also solicited.

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# The Princess Virginia

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Through the gate of dreams lies the fair land of romance into which you would travel, finding welcome relief from the daily grind. Now you are invited to accompany the Princess Virginia, who determines that the royal personage who would honor her with his hand must fall in love with her and who her as any other man would a woman. Therefore she travels incognito in his realm, meeting adventures strange and full of excitement. You will learn with pardonable pride that the American blood in her veins gives her an independence unheard of in the presence of kings, but most of all you will want to know how she succeeds in her bold undertaking. That you will enjoy every minute of the reading is assured by the verdict of thousands who declare "The Princess Virginia" to be a most delightful story.

## CHAPTER EIGHT

Near a window of the fourteenth century yellow marble palace on the hill, with its famous garden of the nine fountains that was not abate with light, glittering against a faraway background of violet mountains crowned by snow.

Outside the tall bronze gates where marble lions crouched the crowd that might not pass beyond started, clustered, pointed and exclaimed without jealousy of their betters. "User Leo was giving a ball, and it was enough for their happiness to watch the slow moving line of splendid state coaches, gorgeous automobiles and neat broughams with well known crests upon their doors; to strive good naturedly for a peep at the faces and dresses, the jewels and picturesque uniforms; to comment upon all freely, but never impudently, asking one another what would be for supper and with whom the emperor would dance."

"There she is—there's the beautiful young foreign lady who saved him!" cried a girl in the throng. "I was there and saw her, I tell you. Isn't she an angel?"

Instantly a hearty cheer went up, growing in volume, and the crowd, excited, restless and to keep back the crowd that would have stopped the horses and pressed close for a long look into a plain dark blue gown. Virginia shrank out of sight against the cushions, blushing and breathing quickly as she caught her mother's hand.

"Dear people—dear, kind people!" she thought. "I love them for loving him. I wonder, oh, I wonder, if they will ever see me and cheer me driving by his side!"

She had chosen to wear the white dress with the pearls, though up to the last moment the dark duchess had suffered tortures of indecision between that and the blue, to say nothing of a pink chiffon trimmed with crushed roses. Before the carriage brought them to the palace doors the girl's blush had faded, and her face was as white as her gown when at her mother's side she passed between bowing lackeys through the marble Hall of Lions, on through the frescoed Rittersaal to the throne room, where the emperor's guests awaited his coming.

It was etiquette not to arrive a moment later than 10 o'clock, and a few minutes after the hour Baron von Lyndal in his official capacity as grand master of ceremonies struck the polished door of his hold long and the band of ivory. This signaled the approach of the court from the imperial dinner party, and Leopold entered, with a court, middle aged royal highness from Russia on his arm.

Until his arrival the beautiful Miss Mowbray had held all eyes, and even when she appeared she was not forgotten. Every eye was on her, and she saw how she would be greeted by the grateful emperor.

The instant that his dark head bowed above other heads in the throne room it was observed even by those not usually observant that never had Leopold been so handsome.

Instead of pines, but for the bird, a waltz, he bowed before Virginia. During this long hour there had been hardly a movement, smile or glance of hers which he had not contrived to see since his entrance. He knew just how well Baron von Lyndal carried out his instructions concerning Miss Mowbray. He saw each partner presented to her for a dance the emperor might not claim, and to save his life or a national crisis he could not have forced the same expression in speaking with her royal highness from Russia as that which spontaneously brightened his face when at last he approached Virginia.

"Who is that girl?" asked Count von Bretstein in his usual abrupt manner as the arm of Leopold girdled the slim waist of the princess and the eyes of Leopold drank light from another pair of eyes lifted to his in laughter.

It was to Baroness von Lyndal that the old chancellor put his question, and she uttered a tiny diamond spangled fan of lace to hide lips that would smile as she answered, "What, chancellor, are you jesting, or don't you really know who that girl is?" Count von Bretstein turned eyes cold and gray as glass away from the two figures moving rhythmically with the music to the face of the once celebrated beauty. Long ago he had admired Baroness von Lyndal as passionately as it was in him to admire any woman, but that day was so far distant as to be remembered with scorn and now such power as she had over him was merely to excite a feeling of irritation.

"I seldom trouble myself to jest," he answered.

"Ah, one knows that truly great men are born without a sense of humor. Those who have it are never as successful in life as those without." Smiled the baroness, who was by birth a Hungarian and loved laugh or better than anything else except compliments upon her vaunting beauty. "How stupid of me to have tried your patience! That girl, as you so uncompromisingly call her, has two claims to attention at court. She is the English Miss Helen Mowbray whose mother has come to Kronburg armed with sheaves of introductions to us all. She also the young woman of whom the papers are full today, for it is she who saved the emperor's life."

"Indeed!" said the chancellor, a gray gleam in his eye as he watched the white figure floating on the tide of music in the arms of Leopold. "Indeed!"

"I thought you would have known, for you know most things before other people hear of them," went on the baroness. "Lady Mowbray and her daughter are staying at the Hotel de Langenwald hotel. That's the mother sitting on the left of Princess Neufried—the pretty Dresden china person. But the girl is a great beauty."

"It's generous of you to say so, baroness," replied the chancellor. "I didn't see the young lady's face at all clearly yesterday. I was stationed too far away. And dress makes a great difference."



"Who is that girl?"

difference. As for what she did," went on the old man, whose coldness to women and merciless justice to both sexes alike had earned him the nickname of "Iron Heart"—"as for what she did, if it had not been she who intervened between the emperor and death it would have been the fate of another to die. It was a fortunate thing for the girl, we may say, that it happened to be her arm which struck up the waltz."

"Or she wouldn't be here tonight, you mean," laughed the baroness. "Don't you think, then, that his majesty is right to single her out for so much honor?" Her eyes were on the dancers, yet that mysterious skill which most women of the world have learned taught her how not to miss the slightest change of expression, if there were any, on the chancellor's square, lined face.

"His majesty is always right," he replied diplomatically. "An invitation to a ball, a dance or two, a few compliments, a call to pay his respects—a gentleman could not be less gracious. And his majesty is one of the first gentlemen in Europe."

"He has had good training what to do and what not to do." The baroness flung her little sop of flattery to Gerberus with a dainty ghost of a bow for the man who had been as a second father to Leopold since the late emperor's death. "But—we're old friends, chancellor—she was not to blame that they had not been more in the days before she became Baroness von Lyndal—no, tell me, can you look at the girl's face and the emperor's and still say that everything will end with an invitation, a dance, some compliments and a call to pay respects?"

Iron Heart frowned and sneered, wondering what he could have seen twenty-two years ago to admire in this flighty woman. He would have guessed from her air if it came had been

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"I'm close upon seventy and no longer a fair judge of a woman's attractions," he returned carelessly. "A look at her face conveys nothing to me, but were she Helen of Troy instead of Helen Mowbray the invitation, the dance, the compliments and the call, with the present of some jeweled souvenir, are all that are permissible in the circumstances."

"What circumstances?" and the baroness looked as innocent as an inquiring child.

"The lady is not of royal blood, and his majesty, I thank heaven, is not a rook."

"He has a heart, though you trained him, chancellor, and his majesty. He may never have used them to much purpose before, yet there must be a first time, and the higher and more strongly built the tower, the greater the fall therefrom."

"Is it the sense of humor, which you say I lack, that gives you pleasure in discussing the wildest improbabilities as if they were events to be considered seriously? If it is I'm not sorry to lack it. In any case, it's well that neither of us is the emperor's keeper."

"We're at least his very good friends, you as well as I in my humble way, chancellor, and you and I have known each other for twenty years. If it amuses me to discuss improbabilities, why not? Since you call them improbabilities it can do no harm to dwell upon them as ingredients for romance. Not for worlds would I suggest that his majesty isn't an example for all men to follow nor that poor, pretty Miss Mowbray could be tempted to in discretion, but yet I'd be ready to make a wager, the emperor being human and the girl a beauty, that an acquaintance so romantically begun won't end with a ball and a call."

"What could there possibly be more, or what you hint at as more, in honor?" The chancellor's voice was angry at last as well as stern, for he could not bear persistence in other people unless it were to further some cause of his own. To the delight of the woman who had once tried in vain to melt his iron heart, Count von Breitenstein began to look somewhat like a baited bull. Really, said the baroness to herself, there was an actual resemblance in feature, and joyously she searched for a few more little ribbon tipped banquets.

What fun it was to rattle the temper of the surly old brute who had humiliated her woman's vanity in days long past, but not forgotten! She knew the chancellor's desire for the emperor's marriage as soon as a suitable match could be found, and though she was not in the secret of his plans, would have felt little surprise at learning that some eligible royal girl had already been selected. Now how amusing it would be actually to make the old man tremble for the success of his hopes, even if it should turn out in the end to be impossible or undesirable to upset them!

"What could there be more in honor?" she echoed lightly after an instant given to reflection. "Why, the emperor and the girl will see a great deal of each other unless you banish or imprison the Mowbrays. There'll be many dances together, many calls. In fact, a serial romance instead of a short story. Why shouldn't his majesty know the pleasure of a platonic friendship with a beautiful and charming young woman?"

"Because Plato's out of fashion, if ever he was in, among human beings with red blood in their veins and because, as I said, the emperor is above all else a man of honor. Besides, I doubt that any woman, no matter how pretty or young, could wield a really powerful influence over his life."

"You doubt that? Then you don't know the emperor and you've forgotten some of the traditions of his house."

"Are you trying to warn me of disaster, baroness?" She laughed. "Oh, dear, no—of nothing disagreeable. But I should be sorry to think, as you seem to do, that our emperor has no youth in his veins."

"I think nothing of the sort. What I do think is that my teachings have not been vain and that he has grown up to put his duty to his country and his own self respect above everything. He's a strong man—too strong to be trapped in the meshes of any pink and white villain. And if he admitted a young woman not of royal blood he would keep his distance for her sake. You say this English miss is with her mother at the principal hotel of Kronburg. If Leopold constantly visited them there we should have a scandal. On the other hand, to suggest meeting the lady outside the incognito would be an insult. Either way he would be poorly rewarding a woman who saved his life."

When you Lyndal's call rallied to the support of her rouge, and her smile divided to inanity, for she had insisted upon the argument, and it was going against her. In her haste to vex the chancellor she had not stopped to study from every side the question she had raised. So far she had merely succeeded in irritating him, and she owed him much more than a pin prick. Such instantaneous wounds she had contrived to give the man in abundance during her twenty-two years at the Rheinstetten, but now, if she hurt him at all, she would like the stab to be deep and memorable.

To be sure, in the very beginning the conversation she thought of doing more than a momentary gratification, but the very heat of the argument into which she had thrown herself had warmed her malice and sharpened the

weapon of her wit. She could justify her expressed opinion only by events, and it occurred to her that she might be able to shape events in such a way that she could say with eyes if not in words, "I told you so."

Her fading smile lightened. "Dear chancellor, you do well to have faith in your imperial pupil," said she. "You've helped to make him what he is, and you're ready to keep him what he should be. I suppose even that if, being but a young man and having the hot blood of his race, he should stray into a phreosic path you would take advantage of old friendship to erupt up signposts and barriers?"

"Were there the slightest chance of such necessity arising," grumbled the chancellor, shrugging his shoulders. "It's like your integrity and courage. What a comfort, then, that the necessity is so unlikely to arise!"

The old man looked at her with level gaze, the ruthless look that brushes away a woman's paint and powder and coldly counts the wrinkles underneath. "I must have misunderstood you, then, a moment ago," he said. "I thought your argument was all the other way round, madam."

"I told you I was amusing myself. What can one do at a ball when one has reached the age when it would be foolish to dance? Why, I believe that Lady Mowbray and her daughter are not remaining long in Kronburg."

At last she was able to judge that she had given the chancellor a few uneasy moments, for his eyes brightened visibly with relief. "Ah," he returned, "then they are going out of Rheinstetten?" "Not exactly that," said the baroness slowly, pleasantly and distinctly. "I hear that they've been asked to the country to visit one of his majesty's oldest friends."

Leopold was not supposed to care for dancing, though he danced—as it was his pride to do all things—well. Certainly there was often a perfunctory suggestion of the soldier on duty in his unsimiling face and his readiness to lend a partner to her seat when a dance was over.

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